

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 882

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A RESOLUTION to commend and congratulate DarKenya Waller,
a 2021 Academy for Women of Achievement
honoree.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly take great pride in commending those Tennesseans who gain recognition for their good works, their dedication to excellence, and their service to their communities and professions; and

WHEREAS, DarKenya Waller is one such intrepid individual who was recognized as a 2021 Academy for Women of Achievement honoree by the YWCA of Nashville and Middle Tennessee on February 22, 2022, at the 30th Anniversary Celebration; and

WHEREAS, this illustrious annual event pays tribute to women who are making significant contributions to their community and who, through their excellence and leadership in their chosen fields, serve as role models for other women, thus moving Nashville forward as a more inclusive, informed, just, healthy, and thriving place to live; and

WHEREAS, one of five exceptional women being celebrated, DarKenya Waller is the executive director of the Legal Aid Society of Middle Tennessee and the Cumberland and a highly respected and admired member of the Nashville community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Waller is a woman of courage and integrity, and it is wholly fitting that we recognize her on this special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we commend and congratulate DarKenya Waller on her recognition as a 2021 Academy for Women of Achievement honoree, extending our best wishes for continued success in all her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.